



# HARRISVILLE HAPPENINGS

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**Join us for City Council Meeting held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 7pm.**

## HARRISVILLE EASTER EGG HUNT

April 19th • 9:00 am • Harrisville City Park (1350 N Hwy 89)  
For ages: 1-10

We need youth ages 14-17 to help the Youth City Council with this event. If you can help contact: Michelle Tait at [mtait@cityofharrisville.com](mailto:mtait@cityofharrisville.com) or Jennifer Jensen at [jjensen@cityofharrisville.com](mailto:jjensen@cityofharrisville.com)

## SUMMER TENNIS

Harrisville and Marriott-Slaterville Parks and Recreation are sponsoring a Summer Tennis program. June 2 – July 30 (divided into three cycles)

5 years – Adults

Signup at the Harrisville Tennis Courts.

Residents: April 29-30 (5pm - 8pm)

Residents/ Non residents: May 6-7 (5pm-8pm)

Late Registration: May 13-14 (5pm-7pm)

Moms may be able to play free.

All lessons will be taught in the morning, starting at 7:30 am, at the Harrisville tennis courts. Rackets and balls are furnished for use at no cost.

For detailed information, contact Jim Ito, (801) 731-6777, [itoj99@gmail.com](mailto:itoj99@gmail.com)

## HERITAGE DAYS 2014

Heritage Days will be held August 2nd. If you are interested in volunteering for Heritage Days, please contact Council Member Jennifer Morrell at [jmorrell@cityofharrisville.com](mailto:jmorrell@cityofharrisville.com) or Jennie Knight at [jknight@cityofharrisville.com](mailto:jknight@cityofharrisville.com).

## ARE YOU READY TO DROP, COVER AND HOLD?

April 17th is the State Great Shake Out, in conjunction with this event there will be a day of preparedness at the Harrisville Cabin, 725 West Harrisville Road, Harrisville Utah. The Public is invited to attend these free classes, so invite your neighbors and friends to join you.

The Day will begin at 9:00 with a class on basic preparedness (72 hour kits, heat, shelter etc.) At 10:30 there will be a class on freezer bag meals. At 12:00 there will be a class on being self reliant (food storage, financial, etc) At 1:30 the class will be preparing your pets for a disaster. At 3:00 the class will be preparing your children for a disaster. Each class will be about one hour.

There will be free brochures and lots of good information to help you prepare. There will also be a drawing at each class where a few prizes will be given out. Please set aside April 17th and join us.

For additional information: Contact Ruth Pearce, Harrisville City Cert Coordinator at [harrisvillecert@gmail.com](mailto:harrisvillecert@gmail.com)

## HISTORIC HARRISVILLE

Leland Ray Saunders took an active part in petitioning for the city to incorporate. As a result, 52 years ago on April 9, Harrisville became a township and he was appointed as president. After a special census count, Harrisville became a third class city January 1964, and Leland became the first mayor, serving until 1974. While he was mayor, city officials bought the land for the Harrisville City main Park, and obtained a unit that was part of a 1942 government housing project and placed that unit on a concrete foundation which became the first city hall building at 1350 North Highway 89. The metal maintenance shop behind the

first city hall was erected in 1972. Being a building contractor himself, much of the construction equipment used for these early accomplishments was donated by Mayor Saunders. While he was mayor, he also helped obtain a government grant to construct the sewer system throughout Harrisville. Leland Ray Saunders was born in Ogden, Utah on 15 November 1922. His family has been connected with Harrisville since the 1850s. He moved his family to Harrisville in 1957. He continues to reside in Harrisville with his wife of 71 years, Leila Porter, and they have ten children, many of whom also live in Harrisville.

## LET'S PLAY "DISC GOLF"

Saturday April 26, 2014 • 8:00am

Harrisville Parks & Recreation Shop, 1350 N Hwy 89

The Parks & Recreation Department is installing a disc golf course. We would like to get the youth of our City involved in this exciting addition to the parks by inviting you to come out and join us for a day of service! This is a great opportunity to give back and support the City by helping us install the course. Pizza and drinks will be provided!

Please bring: Work gloves, shovels, contractor's level (or level of similar type), concrete tools (mag float, metal trowel, round edger trowel), wheel barrels, and tape measure. NOTE: If you bring your own tools please make sure they are marked and identifiable. Contact Bryan Fife with any questions. 801-782-6227

What will we be doing exactly?

### BASKETS

- Dig (20) 12" wide X 24" deep holes at predetermined locations throughout the park
- Insert a 1 15/16" installation tube/sleeve
- Mix 1-2 bags post mix
- Pour post mix into hole while plumbing the tube/sleeve
- Insert a 10" round valve box over the tube/sleeve
- Backfill around the valve box
- While plumbing the tube/sleeve, add

10" pea gravel inside the valve box

- Replace valve box lid

### LAUNCH PADS

- We will pour (8) 5' X 8' X 3 1/2" launch pads which will be pre-formed prior to April 26th.
- 1- Pour concrete into forms
- 2- Screed the concrete
- 3- Trowel the concrete
- 4- Float the concrete
- 5- Edge the concrete
- 6- Broom the concrete



## SPRING CLEANING DAYS AND TREE TRIMMING

Spring is right around the corner and it is time to take advantage of our Spring Clean-Up Days, April 21-25. Specific waste containers for regular garbage debris and green waste will be available at the Harrisville Main Park, 1350 N. Highway 89, during the Spring Clean Up for disposal. As part of the spring cleaning this year, we ask you to trim and remove obstructive trees and branches on your property or in the park strip. Trees overhanging sidewalks should be trimmed to the height of 8 feet in order to meet code requirements. Trees overhanging roads are to be trimmed to 16 feet as well. Diseased trees and vegetation should be removed and disposed. Trees or vegetation that obstruct or threaten sidewalks, waterways, culverts, pipes, storm drains, or utility lines should also be trimmed or removed.

Our annual community spring cleaning days are a perfect opportunity to get outside and enjoy the warming weather as we make Harrisville City a beautiful place to live and work. Thank you to everyone willing to help your neighbor or others who struggle to maintain their yards and spaces. We can work together to keep our community safe and beautiful.

### NORTH VIEW FIRE DISTRICT

It's becoming that time of year again, the weather is warming up, the snow is mostly all melted and our yards are starting to come back to life. As many of you clean your yards and gardens I would just like to remind you of the process of open burning.

The open burn season for Weber County is March 30-May 30 during the spring months and there will also be a possible burn season in the fall during the time of Sep. 15-Oct. 30. Just like previous years you will need to obtain a burn permit prior to igniting a burn. You can obtain a burn permit either by telephone, internet or through the mail.

**Internet** The open burn permit application can be completed online at [www.airquality.utah.gov](http://www.airquality.utah.gov). Completing this form online is the easiest and fastest way to complete the open burn permit application. An electronic copy of the application is automatically submitted to the county or municipal fire authority upon completion and is kept on file at our office.

**Telephone** An applicant can call the Department of Air Quality at 801-536-4000 and complete the open burn permit application process over the phone. A DAQ inspector will ask the applicant for the required information and complete the application in just a few minutes.

**Mail** A hard copy of the application may be completed and submitted by mail to DAQ for electronic processing. To request a hard copy of the open burn permit application, contact DAQ by phone at 801-536-4000.

Note: It may take up to 14 days from the date of request to receive an open burn permit if a hard copy is submitted for processing.

On the day that you want to burn you will need to check to make sure that it is a green burn day and that the clearing index is over 500. You can either check our website each day at

[www.northviewfire.com](http://www.northviewfire.com), call Weber Dispatch at 801-395-8221, or by logging onto the Utah Air Monitoring website at [www.airmonitoring.utah.gov](http://www.airmonitoring.utah.gov).

Just as in the past we will still have the authority to require extinguishment of the fire in cases where the smoke is becoming a nuisance to neighbors and if burning rules aren't being followed. If you have any questions you may call us at (801)782-8159

### WATER CONSERVATION MESSAGE: BEGINNING THE IRRIGATION SEASON

2014 irrigation season is right around the corner. The recent weather pattern has changed in our favor in increased our mountain precipitation to near normal levels. Due to the low levels of reservoir storage from last year, we are not completely there yet on precipitation to fill the reservoirs going into this summer. There is still a small chance, but it is more likely that we will not fill the reservoirs this spring from runoff.

We would like to encourage all water users to continue to be efficient. We ask that you reduce your irrigation by 20% this year to ensure that we maintain adequate reservoir storage to meet the needs all season. We would ask that you follow the same restrictions as last year and only water when needed and not water between 10:00 am and 6:00 pm.

There are many resources available to help you know how to properly irrigate your landscape. Proper irrigation will result in green, healthy landscapes and will reduce our outdoor demand. There are free classes available, free water checks for those that need help scheduling and Weber Basin Water has a Garden that is free to show you many plant options that are colorful and suitable for our climate and lower water conditions. Visit [www.weberbasin.com/conservation](http://www.weberbasin.com/conservation) for information and help with outdoor water concerns.

### POLICE NOTE

Please be mindful while you are searching the web for deals on products or even answering classified ads; regardless whether they are in a newspaper or on any website. Consumer Reports recently stated that the internet marketplace is full of counterfeit products and advertisements. As a consumer you need to make sure the sites you are visiting are selling legitimate products. In regards to classified ads, never provide personal information such as your full name, date of birth, address or phone number in an initial e-mail. No bank, credit card company or potential employer will call and ask for your personal or account information. If a caller asks for this information, it's most likely a scam. If someone wants you to cash a check and return part of it with a wire transfer, it's a scam. Remember that you are responsible for damages when you cash a money order or cashier's check for a third party and the check is found to be fraudulent. -Detective Dennis Moore

### Lock up your valuables.

Unlocked cars, bikes, equipment, ATV's, etc. make you a target. All it takes is a few minutes for you to become a victim. The best protection is to lock your doors, shut your garage, and secure your valuable items out of sight of would be thieves.